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G.O. NO. 67

Dated 11-2-49

[Despatch Abstract.]

Agri - Station - Rice Research Stations, Nagpur - Annuities to staff + grant of Compensatory allowance Provincial A.I.C.C. A - orders passed

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AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

From
M.S. SIVARAMAN, I.C.S.
Director of Agriculture
Chepauk, Madras,

To
The Secretary to Government
Development Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

No. [illegible] 711/47 dated 24-9-47

Sub: AGRICULTURAL STATIONS - Agricultural Research Station, Hagari - Amenities to staff.

Ref: (1) G.O. No MS 90 P.W.D. dated 9-1-47
(2) G.O. No MS 1975 Dev. dated 5-5-47.

In the second of the references quoted above Government sanctioned an allowance of 10% of pay to gazetted officers and 20% of pay to non-gazetted staff working at the Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa pending construction of Government quarters.

2. The conditions prevailing at the Agricultural Research Station, Hagari are almost identical with Sirugupba.

i) Quarters are not available for some working in the station. They are therefore obliged to keep their families at Bellary, which is 10 miles away from the farm.

ii) The staff working on the station have grown up children who have to be educated in high schools and there is no school at Hagari.

iii) Want of essential necessities like housing, educational facilities, food, medical aid etc. have made the station more unattractive and frequent changes in the staff have become a common feature.

3. In the interest of work, it is necessary to make the conditions of service on the station more attractive so that the staff posted may stick on to the place. I therefore recommend that a compensatory allowance may be granted to the staff working at the Agricultural Research Station, Hagari also on the same conditions mentioned in para 2 of G.O. MS No. 1975 Dev dated 5-5-47.

M.S. SIVARAMAN
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE.

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Memo. No. 92224 A4/47-1. dy 27.4.48

Sub:- Agri- stations - Agrl. Research station, Hagari - Amenities to staff.

Ref:- From the D.A. No. X.3. 711/47 dy 24/9/47

With a view to provide transport facilities to the farm staff going to Hagari from Bellary every day the Govt. have provided ~~the Govt. have provided at the~~ Agrl. Research station with a lorry obtained from the Thompsons Disposals of work of the staff at the Agrl Research Station, Hagari besides

in a developed area as Bellary (where there are other staff of other Depts) + the arrangements for daily transport of staff from Bellary to Hagari are also attended to, The proposal, ~~the proposal~~ for a separate compensatory allowance for the staff of the Agrl. Research Research Station, Hagari requires greater justification. At the Spl. Revenue staff employed for Land Acquisition work for the Tungabhadra Project who are stationed at Bellary and Hospet are not given the benefit of the project allowance the reason that the ordinary ~~only~~ Rev. Dept. staff whose work is in no way less arduous are not getting any allowance. The

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The P. H. Dept staff stationed at the above two places are not also being paid any compensatary allowance for the same reasons. The D. A. is therefore requested to justify in greater details the need for payment of compensatary allowance to the staff working at the Agril. Research Station, Hagari who are mainly residing at Bellary.

Yours

To
The D. A.

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Memo No 9222/A11/48 dated 26/7/48

Subject: Agricultural Research Station

Integrated Amenities Staff

Ref: Govt Memo No 9222/A11/48 dated 27/7/48

The JDA is requested to expedite

the reply to Govt Memo cited

To

The JDA

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AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

From
M.S.Sivaraman, Esqr., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

No.X.3. 711/47 dated the 29th July 1948.

Sir,

Sub: AGRICULTURE - Stations - Agricultural Research Station, Hagari - amenities to staff.

Ref: Development Memorandum No.92224 A.II/47-4 dated 27.4.48.

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The members of the staff working at the Agricultural Research Station, Hagari are residing partly at Hagari and partly at Bellary, due to want of accomodation. There are 17 families residing at the Agricultural Research Station, Hagari under adverse conditions and the compensatory allowances requested are in respect of members of the staff living both at Hagari and Bellary.

2. As already stated the conditions of living at the Farm are unattractive and extremely difficult. The station is situated over a distance of 10 miles from the nearest town of Bellary and postal and telegraphic facilities are almost absent. Another serious handicap is non-availability of any kind of medical aid and frequent malarial attack. In case of sickness, more money has to be spent on medical bill and in going to and fro to Bellary apart from lot of personal inconvenience and trouble. Young children of the staff are not put to school or they have to run double establishment. Even for ordinary daily necessities of life, one has to make a journey to Bellary. The staff is entirely cut away from all social amenities and is living under peculiar conditions involving heavy extra expense. The net result is frequent change of staff and serious dislocation of work. During the last 18 months six managers joined at the Farm and left the same under one pretext or another. The same is the case with Scientific Assistants also. In the interest and

and continuity of work I wish to see that the members of the Farm staff are given some allowance to meet the heavy extra expense they have to incur more than other members of the Department posted elsewhere. This inducement will enable them to continue at the station.

3. The staff residing at Bellary have another kind of inconvenience. Every day, they have to travel 12 miles to and fro for want of quarters on the Farm and consequently they try to leave the Station. Both have inconvenience of different types. The provision of a station wagon does not solve all the difficulties. This gives the quick movement but they will have to pay for it.

4. In view of the circumstances explained above, I submit that Government would consider the necessity for the grant of a compensatory allowance and sanction the same as requested in my letter No.X.3. 711/47 dated 24.9.47.

C.R. Srinivasa Ayyangar
for Director of Agriculture.

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Gazetted Assistant.

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From 11.9.48 Memo. No. 92224 A II/47-8 dt 11-9-48

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Subj:- Agri- stations - Agrl. Research station, Nagari - Amenities to staff

Refer:- ~~From the D. A. No. X-3-711/47 dt 29-7-48~~

(1) G.O. No. 587, P.W.D. dt 20.2.48
(2) Govt. memo No. 157/59/47-2 dt 23.3.4
(3) From the D. A. No. X.3.711/47 dt 29.7.48

The concessions granted to the staff of the Agrl. Dept. employed at the Agrl. Research station, Singatha are now governed by the provisions of the G.O. cited and not by the orders issued in G.O. No. 1975, Dev, dt 5/5/47. The

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staff employed at the Agrl. Research station, Hagari will also be eligible to the allowances granted ~~in the case of~~ to the staff at the Agrl. Research station, Singatta, and in case the work at Hagari is connected with the Tungabhadra Project. The D.A is therefore requested to submit a clear report how the work at Hagari is connected with the problems of the Tungabhadra Project to justify the extension of the concessions sanctioned in G.O. No. 587, P.W. dy 20/2/48. to the Agrl Dept. Staff at Hagari. An estimate of the additional cost involved in the proposal should also be furnished

to

The D.A.

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Agricultural Department.

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From
R. M. Sundaram Esq., O.B.E., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department
Fort St. George, Madras.

No.X.3.711/47 dated 17th November 1948.

Sir,

Sub: Agriculture - Agricultural Research Station, Hagari - Amenities to staff.

Ref: Govt.Memo No.92224 A.1.48-8 dated 11-9-1948.

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The analogy of the conditions prevailing at Hagari with those of Siruguppa was cited just to show that the conditions are almost identical. Siruguppa station is situated in a taluk headquarters with certain amenities of life and when compared, the conditions of Hagari are worse, unsatisfactory and unattractive. The tract also is an unhealthy one. Though the work done at Hagari is not connected with the problems of Tungabadra project, it deals with an equally important work of seed development and agronomic work of crops. Hagari station caters to the famine stricken areas of Bellary and Anantapur districts in the matter of soil and water conservation (Dry farming). Seeds suitable for nearly 20 lakhs of acres under millets have to be evolved at this station directly contributing to the economic development of the Ceded districts.

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I invite your kind attention to para 2 of my letter No. X.3.711/47 dated 29-7-1948. In the interest and continuity of work, I wish to retain the staff at the Agricultural Research

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Station without change. Considering the personal discomfort and disadvantages, a compensatory allowance is essential to give some satisfaction to the staff. Therefore, I request that Government may be pleased to sanction the compensatory allowance applied for.

M/ The estimated cost for the present staff will be about Rs.3,200/- per annum.

R. M. Sundaram,
Director of Agriculture.

(True copy)
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(By order)

Gazetted Assistant.

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T. M.

To

The D. A.

Sub:- Agri- Agril. Research station, Hagari – Amenities to staff.

Ref:- Your letter No. X.3. 711/48 dt 17. 11. 48.

Please furnish details of the expenditure involved in the grant of Compensatory allowance to the staff at the Agril. Research station, Hagari.

P. C. to go.

24/11/48

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Agricultural Department

From
R.M. Sundaram, Esqr., O.B.E., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

X.3.711/47 dated 9/12/48

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Sir,

Sub:- Agriculture - Agricultural Research station Hagari - Hagari - Amenities to staff.

Ref:- Development department Telephe Message dated 25/11/48.

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The details for the sum of Rs.3,200 called for in the reference cited above are furnished below. The calculations are on the basis of 10% of pay for Gazetted Officers and 20% of pay for Non-Gazetted officers.

		Pay of each post	Estimated allowance P.M.
1. Superintendent	1.	300/-	30/-
2. Upper subordinates	2.	110/-	22/-
3. "	2	105/-	42/-
4. "	2	100/-	40/-
5. Mechanic	1	51/-	10/-
6. Fieldmen	4	49/-	40/-
7. "	3	45/-	27/-
8. Laboratory Attender	1	38/-	8/-
9. "	1	26/-	5/-
10. Typist	1	24/-	5/-
11. Peon	1	24/-	5/-
12. "	2	16/-	6/-
			262/-

For twelve months 262x12 = 3144 or 3200

(Rupees three thousand two hundred only)

C. Vijayaraghavan,
For Director of Agriculture

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Gazetted Assistant

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Sub:- Agri - Stations - Agrl. Research Station, Hagari - Amenities to staff on grant of compensatory allowance - Proposal of the D.A. - ~~Approved~~ Orders passed

Ref:- 1. From the D.A. No. X.3.711/47 dt 24.9.47
2. R.O. No. Ms. 587, P.W. dt 20.2.48.

Order No. 677 dt 11.2.49.

M. E. The Governor of Madras decides as a special case that the ~~orders issued~~ conversions granted in R.O. No. Ms. 587, P.W. dated 20/2/48 will apply to the members of the staff working at the Agrl. Research Station, Hagari.

To
The D.A.
The A.G. (Audit) Madras.
P.W.D.
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20.1.49 Staff employed at the Agrl Research Station, Hagari will be eligible for the conversions - compensatory allowances sanctioned

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in GO No 5-8-7-PWD dated 20.2.48 — (4)
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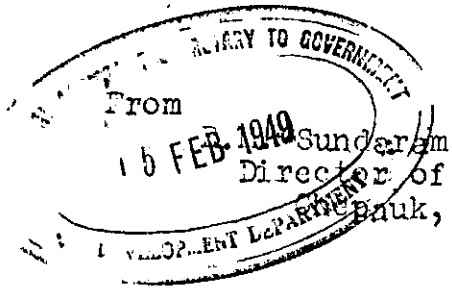

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

From

S. Sundaram, Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Nungambakkam, Madras:

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

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X.3.711/47 dated 11th Feb. '49.

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Sir,

Sub:- Agricultural Research Station - Nagari - Amenities to Staff:

Ref:- This office X.3.711/47 dated 9-12-48 and 10-1-49
Development Dept. Endt. No.92224.A.II/47-11 dated 1st February 1949.

I request early orders.

C.R. Srinivasa Ayyangar,
for Director of Agriculture.

True copy/ Forwarded/ By Order/

14/2/49
Gazetted Assistant.

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To A.S. Orders have since been issued in G.O.No.677, Dev, dated 11-2-49. May the lodged + added to the papers at (K).

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Sub:- Agri- Stations- Agrl Research Station, Hagari- Amenities to staff.

Refce:- From the D.A.No.x.3.711/47 dates 24-9-47.

To A.S. Please see the D.A.'s letter in the C.F. The D.A. requests that the compensatory allowances sanctioned to the staff working at the Agrl Research Station, Sirugappa in para 2 of G.O.No.1975, Dev. dated 5-5-47 may be extended to to the farm staff working at Hagari also. For the reasons stated in para 2 of his letter, the D.A. states that conditions at Hagari are identical with those prevailing in Sirugappa. The compensatory allowance to the staff at the Agrl Research Station, Sirugappa has been sanctioned for a period of one year from 5-5-47 or till quarters are provided for the staff whichever is earlier. The D.A. has reported separately that all the staff at the Agrl Research Station, Sirugappa station have been permitted to draw the compensatory allowances irrespective of the fact whether they are providdd with Govt. quarters or not subject to the recovery of 10% of pay in the case of individuals living ~~on~~ Govt. quarters. Presumably the D.A. desires that the same terms should apply to Hagari also. It may be recalled in this connection that the D.A.'s proposal for construction of certain quarters for the staff working at Hagari is proposed to be negatived, in view of the present policy of Govt. to defer building schemes on account of the prevailing high cost of labour and materials. With a view to minimise the difficulty felt by the farm staff in going to Hagari from Bellary every day (a distance of about 10 miles) the D.A. reported that he had diverted one of the lorries obtained from Thompsons Disposals for use at the Agrl Research Station Hagari pending the allotment of a station wagon sanctioned for that station. In view of what is stated ~~by the D.~~A. at A' above, the D.A.'s proposal to grant compensatory allowance to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and conditions granted to the farm staff at Sirugappa may perhaps be supported in this Dept. P.W.D. and Fin. may see for remarks.

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Please see the letter from the D.A vide C.F. and my note on p1 aside. In the circumstances, this Dept may perhaps agree with the proposal of Devt. at 'B' on p1 aside. The file may be passed on to Finance Dept

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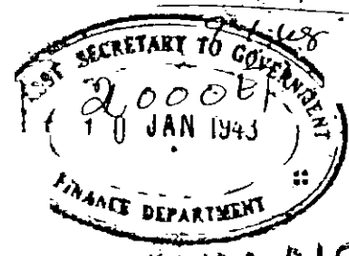

Please see the Devt. note overleaf.

In his letter in C.F., the D.A. states that the conditions prevailing at the Station in Hagari are almost identical with Siruguppu. If it were so, it is not clear why the case for this station also was not considered when certain concessions were sanctioned for Siruppa staff.

2 Again it is pointed out that the Hagari staff now stay at Bellary which is 10 miles away from the farm, and that local arrangements have been made to place a lorry for use by the staff. If the staff actually reside in a developed area as Bellary (where there are other similar staff of other depts.* as well) and when transport arrangements for daily transport from Bellary to Hagari are also attended to, the proposal for a separate compensatory allowance seems to require greater justification before sanction is accorded automatically, as any concession of this nature is likely to be cited as a precedent by others doing similar Govt. work. In this view it would seem desirable that the matter is examined in greater detail in consultation with the P.W.D.

A on p1 above

2 With the above remarks the case may be r to Devt. through the P.W.D.

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ADO(S9) Fin

Please see the Fin Dept's note above. With reference to 'X' above it is submitted that the Special Revenue staff employed for the land acquisition work for the Irrigation

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Project who are stationed at Bellary and Hospet are not getting
the benefit of the project allowance for the reason that the ordinary
Revenue Deptt staff whose work is in no way less
arduous are not getting any allowance. For the same reason
the Public Health staff stationed at these two places were
not allowed the project allowance. Govt may examine
this aspect again and send the file to this Deptt if they
consider that the Hagari staff should be given the benefit
of the project allowance even though Hagari being staying
at Bellary.

The file may be returned to Govt.

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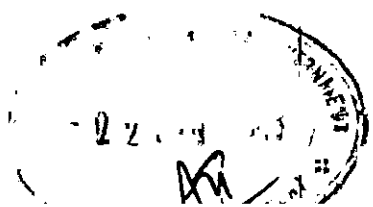

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To A.S. Notes from p. 1 above may be perused.
The Govt. have since issued orders in
Govt. Memo. No 10109 AI/47-4 dated 26.1.48 (R) (Rejected)
that the compensatory allowance sanctioned
in G.O. No. 1975, Dev, dated 5.5.47 may be (D)
paid to the entire staff of the Agrl. Dept
at the Agrl. Research station, Sirugatta
for a period of one year from 5.5.47
or till orders are passed by Govt. on the
proposal for the grant of enhanced
amenities to the staff whichever is earlier.
Though the D.A. considers that conditions
at Hagari are identical as those at
Bellary, the D.A. may be requested

to justify in greater details the need for extending the grant for compensatory allowance to Nagari in the light of the remarks of Fin at X on p. 2 above and the notes of P.W.D at S on p.p. 2-3 above. The draft memo to the D.A. is submitted for approval.

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To A.S. Please see the Depts' memo at p.p. 3-5 c.F. + the D.A.'s reply at p.p. 7-8 c.F. In view of the reasons stated by the D.A. in paras 2 & 3

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of this letter, it is for orders whether this Dept. will adhere to its original decision regd. to grant the 'compensatory allowance' mentioned in para 3 of GO No. 1975 Dev dt 5-5-47 to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and conditions granted to the farm staff at Sirugappa. P.W.D. & Fin. may see for remarks.

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The concessions granted to the staff of the Agrl Dept employed in the Agricultural Research Station (Tungabhadra Project Area) Sirugappa are governed by the provisions in G.O No. 587 P.W.D. dt: 20. 2. 48; and not by those in G.O No. 1975 Dev dt: 5. 5. 47.

The DT's proposal may be supported.

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PWD Fin

ADS

L. Last seen in this deptt. on p/p 2-3 ante. Please see the notes of Dev on p/p 5-6 ante. Attention is invited to 'x' on p. 6 ante. If the Agricultural Research Station at Hagari is connected with the Tungabhadra Project then the Staff would be entitled for the allowance granted in G.O. Ms 587 P.W. dt. 20.2.48 from the date of the order viz 20.2.48. Such a concession has been allowed to the agricultural Staff employed in the TB Project. vide memo No. 157-59/47-21. dt. 23.3.48. The quest of granting allowances prior to 20-2-48 on the basis of G.O. Ms. 1978 Dev. dt. 5-5-47 is a matter for to be decided by Dev. in consultation with Fin. The file maybe passed on to Fin.

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GENERAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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overleaf.

To A.S. Please see the P.W.D. notes on p. 7 above. ~~The D.A. Anantapur requested to intimate whether the Agrl. Research station, Hagari is connected with the Tungabhadra Project. Subjects to orders, a draft T.M. below is for approval.~~ As on p. 7 above. The draft memo. letter below is for approval

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Finance (E1)

(Previous Fin. note on p 2 above)

With reference to X on p 2 above, the Director of Agriculture, who was consulted, after explaining the difficult position that exists at the Hagari Farm, states that the provision of a Station-waggon does not solve all the difficulties and that

Yours 3 sep 48

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that the staff have to pay for it. PW now state that the staff of the Research Station at Hagari will be eligible for the concessions granted in GO 587-PW, dated 20-2-48, provided its work is connected with Tungabadra project work.

2/. The draft memo below may be perused. No special remarks are called for at this stage. Development will no doubt let this dept: see again after the DA's reply is received.

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To A.S. Please see the notes of Fin. dept. from the bottom of p.8 above. The draft memo may issue

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I From the D. A., No. X-3-711/48 dy 17.11.48]

To A.S. Please see the D.A's letter at p.p.11-12 c.F, with reference to the memo at p.p.9-10 c.F. In view of what is stated by the D.A; it is for orders whether the D.A's proposal to grant compensatory allowances to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and conditions granted to the farm staff at Singatta will be agreed for. P.W.D. & Fin. may see for remarks.

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P.T.O

In the memo at pp 9-10 above, the D.A. was also asked to ~~state~~ furnish an estimate of the additional cost involved in the proposal. In his letter under reference the D.A. states that the estimated cost involved in his proposal for the ~~pursuit~~ staff will be Rs. 3200/-. He may be asked to furnish details of the provision ~~state the expenditure that will be incurred in this case~~ his proposals are accepted. A draft T.M. is submitted for approval. ~~After~~ since, P.W.D. for may see at

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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(last seen in this dept at p. 7 ante).

Please see further notes on pp 8-10 above, memo at pp 9-10 c/f. and the D. A's reply at pp 11-12 c/f. It is reported by the D.A. that the ~~Bar~~ work done at Hagari is not connected with the Tungabhadra Project. In the circumstances, it seems that the Concessions allowed in Govt MS. 587 PW Dt 20.2.48 cannot be granted to the agricultural staff at Hagari. But as it is reported that the conditions at Hagari are almost identical with those at Siruguppa, the question of granting any compensatory allowance is perhaps a matter to be decided by Dev. in consultation with Fin. The file may be passed on to Fin

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ADDL. DY. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

PWD Dno 8453/51/48

Finance (2)

Previous Finance note on pp 8-9 above and the further note of Development and PWD may be perused. With reference to the memo on pp 9-10 of the Director of Agriculture has clearly stated that the work done at Hagari is not connected with the problems of Tungabhadra Project. The concessions sanctioned in Govt No 584 PWD dated 20.2 are allowed to the staff whose work is connected with the major project works. The extension of these concessions to the agricultural farm at Hagari is not therefore admissible and may be negatived.

3. With the above remarks the case may be returned to Devt wing

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[From the D.A. No. X.3711/47 dt 9/12/48]

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Cb also P.W. remarks at the bottom of p 10 ante

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To A.S. In his letter at p.1 C.F. the D.A. requests that compensatory allowance sanctioned to the staff working at the Agrl Research Station, Sirugappa in para 2 of G.O.No.19 Dev. Dated 5-5-47 may be extended to the farm staff at working at Hagari also. For the reasons stated in para 2 of his letter at p.1 C.F., the D.A. states that conditions at Hagari are identical with those prevailing in Sirugappa. In view of the reasons stated by the D.A. this Dept. supported his proposal and sent the file to P.W.D. and Fin. for remarks. In the light of the remarks of Fin. at 'X' on p.2 above and the notes of P.W.D. at 'S' on p.p.2-3 above the D.A. was requested to justify in greater details the need for extending the grant of compensatory allowance to Hagari. In view of the reasons stated by the D.A. in his letter at p.p.7-8 C.F. this Dept. adhered to its original decision, viz, to grant the compensatory allowance to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and conditons granted to the farm staff at Sirugappa. Since the concessions granted to the staff of the Agrl Dept. employed in the Agrl Research Station, Tungabhadra Project Area, Sirugappa are now governed by the provisions in G.O.No.587, P.W.D. 20-2-48, not by G.O.No.1975, Dev. dated 5-5-47. P.W.D. have stated that if the Agrl Research Station Hagari is connected with the Tungabhadra Project. then the staff would be entitled for the allowance granted in G.O.No.587, P.W.D. dated 20-2-48. Accordingly D.A. was requested to submit a clear

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report as to how the work at Hagari is connected with the Tungabhadra Project to justify the extension of the concessions sanctioned in G.O.No.587, P.W.D. dated 20-2-48 to the Agrl Research Station at Hagari. He was also requested to furnish an estimate of the additional cost involved in the proposal. The D.A. states that Sirugappa station is situated in a taluk headquarters with certain amenities of life and when compared, the conditions ~~the conditions~~ of Hagari are worse, unsatisfactory and unattractive. The tract also is an unhealthy one. Though the work done at Hagari is not connected with the problems of the Tungabhadra Project, it deals with an equally important work of seed development and agronomic work of crops. Hagari station caters to the famine stricken areas of Bellary and Anantapur Dts. in the matter of soil and water conservation(Dry farming). He has also reported that estimated cost in extending the Project allowance to Hagari R.S. comes to Rs.9200/- per annum. In view of the reasons stated by the D.A. this Dept. pressed for the D.A.'s proposal to grant compensatory allowance to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and conditions granted to the farm staff at Sirugappa. P.W.D. have stated that since the conditions at Hagari are almost identical with those at Sirugappa the question of granting compensatory allowance is a matter ~~for this Dept.~~ to be decided by this Dept. in consultation with Fin. but Fin. dept. have advised against the proposal. Vide p11 above It is for orders whether

1. the D.A.'s proposal to grant compensatory allowance to the staff working at Hagari on the same terms and condtions granted to the farm staff at Sirugappa will be pressed for or

2. whether the Fin. Dept's suggestion to negative the proposal will be agreed to.

The case may be circulated to H.M.(Agri) and H.M.(Fin) for orders.

Fin Dept not insisted accepted

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8/1/49 HM(Agri)

The question of eligibility of staff at any station to the grant of compensatory allowance should in my view be determined with reference to the conditions of living prevailing at that station rather than with reference to the nature of work on which the staff may be engaged. The lack of amenities at Hoganí is reported to be more marked than at Seniyappa, and whatever justification exists for grant of compensatory allowance to the staff at Seniyappa is clearly reinforced by the greater hardship to which the staff at Hoganí are exposed. The proposal may therefore be agreed. 12

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I agree with Dy Secy H.M (Agri)

H.M (Fin)
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To A.S. A draft order is submitted for approval. P.W.D & Fin. may see before issue. It is proposed that the orders will have to take effect only from the date of 12 the orders.

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Notes of Fin on p. 11 ante, circulation notes of Dev on pp 12-13 above, orders in

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E.I.

Circulation above, and the draft below may be perused and the file passed to Fin

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= Previous Fin. note on fo 11 above, the order in circulation on fo 14 above may be perused. The draft order below may be accepted* and the Case returned to Devt wo

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* subject to slight pencil alteration in para 1

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To A.S. The draft order may now issue

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Order issued as No. 677, dated 11.2.49

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